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This is in response to the Notice of Missing Parts of Application dated April 14, 2005, the period for response to which is set to expire on June 14, 2005. Submitted herewith are the following:

- Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney
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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- . Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 09/29/2004
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- Priority Documents filed on 09/29/2004

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.
- Translation of the application into English. The current translation of the application into English is defective as described below. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.
 - The text in the drawings has not been properly translated.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
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